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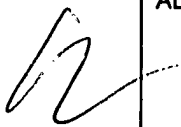
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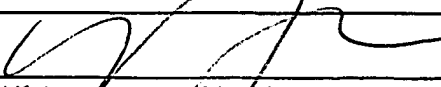
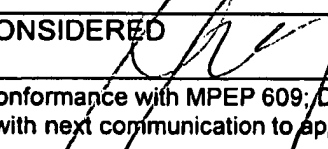
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	AD	Notice Requesting Submission of Opinion issued by the Korean Intellectual Property Office on October 13, 2006 in Korean Patent Application No. 10-2001-0003129 that corresponds to the present pending U.S. patent application (four pages) (English language translation thereof 4 pages)					X	

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The Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO 1449 filed November 27, 2006 cited an incorrect Korean Application/Publication No. 1999-016055 for cited reference no. 3 in the Korean Office Action dated October 13, 2006 and disclosed in the IDS of November 27, 2006. For consideration by the Examiner, the corrected Form PTO 1449 is submitted herewith including U.S. Patent No. 6,108,766 as the correct citation relied upon in the Korean Office Action dated October 13, 2006 and disclosed in the IDS of November 27, 2006.

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
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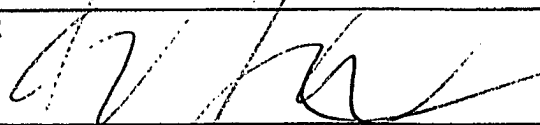
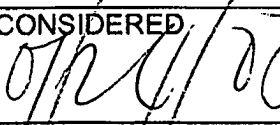
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A corresponding U.S. Patent No. 5,021,985 to the Japanese Publication HO4-270414 cited in the attached Form PTO-1449 was previously cited by the Applicant in an Information Disclosure Statement filed November 27, 2006.

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